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Southern Regional Medical Command

USE of the US Army Soldier Leader
Risk Tool (USA SLRRT)

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(For SRMC MTF/TF Use Only))



DISCLAIMER

- This is a condensed version of the 19 page guide to the USA SLRRT and is not a replacement for the guide. The primary purpose of this presentation is to give a brief overview of the utilization of this tool prior to implementation throughout the force. The SLRRT Tool and Guide are posted on the SRMC SharePoint and the Army G-1 Suicide Prevention Website.



When to use the SLRRT

- Between Now and 27 September 2012 as part of Suicide Prevention Month (All Military)
- New Arrivals to your unit within 30 days
- IET/BCT/WOBC/AIT/BOLC Soldiers within 14 days
- 90 days prior and 30 days after deployment
- Annually for all Soldiers at a minimum
- Any other time the leader deems necessary



Forms Required to Complete this Task

- DA 4856 (Developmental Counseling Form)
- DA 3881 (Rights Warning Procedure/Waiver Certificate) *** Only Required if the Counselor determines that a possible crime may have or may be committed. Prior to filling out this form, contact your local JAG***



Use of the SLRRT

- Counsel your Soldiers! Complete the counseling (DA4856) to include a purpose, key points, a plan of action if necessary, a closing, leader responsibilities and an assessment of the plan.
- Use the SLRRT as a tool to guide the conversations using open ended questions not check the block.
- Throughout the conversation, document and assess your Soldier, utilizing the tool, with an assessment of low, moderate or high
- If the Soldier causes concern on your part during discussion of any of the 26 issues of concern, refer to and utilize the Leader Actions.



Use of the SLRRT (Assessment Phase)

- During the counseling, leaders assess their Soldier utilizing the following levels:
- Low- Soldier has no potential adverse issues. Adverse outcomes appear low.
- Moderate- behavior is concerning (alcoholism, family issues, financial, legal issues. Soldier has potential for adverse issues. Adverse outcome appears possible. (Notify Chain of Command, Bn. or higher)
- High- Adverse behavior is identified and Soldier is possibly a danger to himself or others.(Notify Chain of Command Immediately Bn. Or higher)



WHEN IN DOUBT SEEK HELP!

- This tool is to assist leaders in identifying early warning signs when their Soldiers may be in trouble
- This tool is not the be all end all. When in doubt seek help from all possible avenues. Better to have asked for assistance and helped a Soldier then remained quiet and lost a life!

